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March 29, 2010

Tim Cosgrave Harvard Project Services LLC 249 Ayer Road, Suite 206 Harvard, MA 01451-1132

Re: EPA approval of UniFirst's draft VI Scope of Work submitted March 25, 2010

Dear Mr. Cosgrave:

EPA, in consultation with MassDEP, has reviewed your revised "Indoor Air Quality and Vapor Intrusion Assessment Scope of Work Revision 2" (SOW) and "Quality Assurance Project Plan Revision 1" (QAPP) submitted on March 25, 2010, for the UniFirst Source Area Property (15 Olympia Avenue, Woburn, MA). EPA approves of the SOW and QAPP, with the following conditions:

- During the March 15, 2010 inspection, technical representatives from both EPA and UniFirst utilized and recorded readings from photo-ionization detection (PID) equipment. Please see the attached figure illustrating the maximum recorded PID readings during the March 15th inspection. As illustrated on the figure, some elevated readings (40-50 ppb) were recorded in the back room of the office. These readings may be associated with some of the office materials and/or cleaning products stored in the back room. Consistent with the page 11 of the SOW, please have these materials/products/chemicals removed prior to sample collection so they do not potentially interfere with the work, as well as removing any other materials/products/chemicals within the building that may interfere with the work.
- Please provide us with a complete schedule (dates and times) for all upcoming field activities
 associated with the SOW including but not limited to the installation of sub-slab sampling points,
 leak detection testing for those points, indoor air sampling and sub-slab sampling. If you need to
 make any changes to the schedule, then please notify Joe Coyne, MassDEP, Dave Sullivan, TRC
 and myself as soon as possible, preferably a week before the activities are implemented.
- Please provide the raw results of the GPR/underground utilities field data and discuss them prior
 to installing the sub-slab sample points (preferably in the field during the evaluation). Sample
 location SV-05 is of particular interest considering the subsurface concrete "staircase" identified
 on the UC-34 soil boring log (see attached soil boring) and the former dry cleaning "gutter"
 illustrated in Havard Project Services' January 8, 2010 correspondence, and whether there needs
 to be any adjustments to the proposed SV-5 location.
- After each sampling round, please provide the electronic deliverable data (EDD) and validated data to EPA and TRC in GISKey excel format.

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EPA and/or TRC plan to provide some field oversight activities during the work, including the proposed March 31, 2010 GPR/utilities evaluation and April 11, 2010 sampling. If you should have any questions regarding this approval letter, please contact me at 617.918.1323.

Sincerely,

Joseph F. LeMay, P.E.

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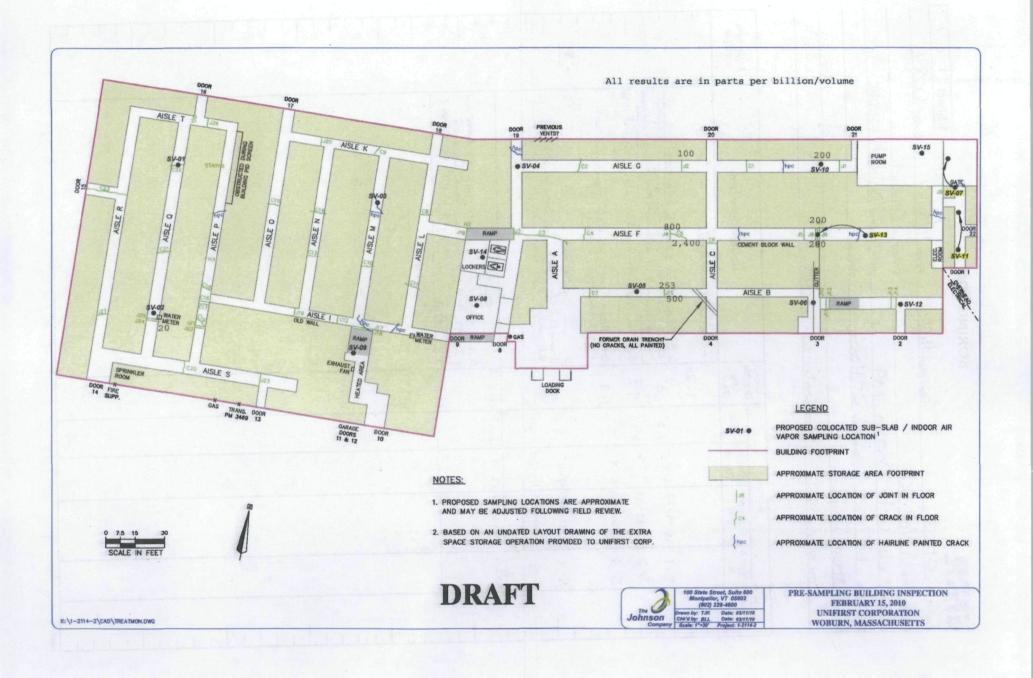
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